

Docket No. 208254U  
IN RE APPLICATION OF Nobuhisa SHIMBA, et al.  
SERIAL NO: 09/850,031  
FILED: May 8, 2001  
FOR: METHOD FOR ISOTOPE LABELING OF PROTEIN WITH ENZYME

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is a **Request for Reconsideration** in the above-identified application.

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In response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.